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FORTY FOUR (44) UNIQUE PROTEST TENTATIVE APPROVAL OF TAR  
SAND STRIP MINE EXPANSION ARE ENCLOSED:

UTAH TAR SANDS RESISTANCE

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DATE: MAY 15, 2015

TO: MS. DANA DEAN, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF MINING

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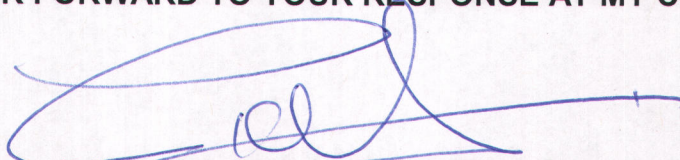


THIS LETTER ACCOMPANIES FORTY FOUR (44) INDIVIDUALS' INDIVIDUAL PROTEST OF THE TENTATIVE DECISION OF THE UTAH DIVISION OF OIL GAS & MINING (DOGM) TO APPROVE A CANADIAN CORPORATION'S (U.S. OIL SANDS OR USOS) SIGNIFICANT REVISION TO THE NOTICE OF INTENTION TO COMMENCE LARGE MINING OPERATIONS (NOI) FOR THE PR SPRING MINE A PROPOSED OPEN PIT TAR SAND MINE ON STATE LAND IN EASTERN UTAH INCLUDING ON LANDS WITHIN THE UNCOMPAHGRE UTE INDIAN RESERVATION BOUNDARIES.

THE 44 PROTESTS WERE CREATED BY 44 UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS IN SALT LAKE CITY AND ARE HEREBY SUBMITTED TO YOU BY UTAH TAR SANDS RESISTANCE ON BEHALF THE INDIVIDUAL PROTESTERS BY REQUEST OF THE INDIVIDUAL PROTESTER.

PLEASE CONFIRM RECEIPT OF THE ENCLOSED 44 OFFICIAL PROTESTS.

I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR RESPONSE AT MY CONTACT GIVEN ABOVE.



\_\_\_\_/S/ LIONEL TREPANIER, BEHALF UTAH TAR SANDS  
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ATTACHMENTS: FORTY FOUR (44) INDIVIDUAL'S PROTESTS.



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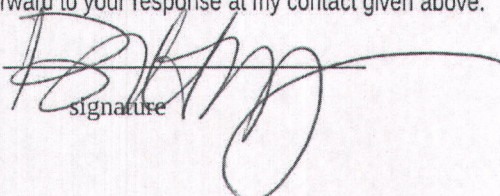
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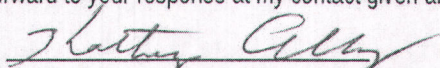
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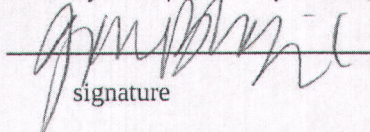
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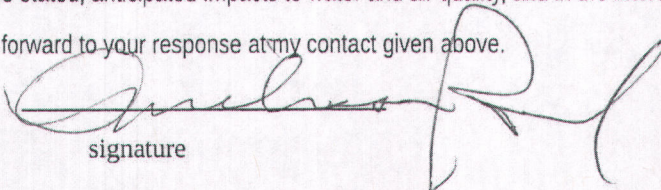
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DATE: 09/13/2015 (Must be submitted or postmarked by May 18<sup>th</sup> 2015)

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Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
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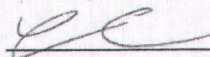
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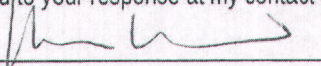
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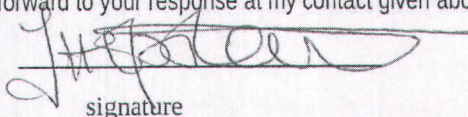
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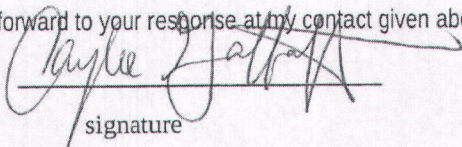
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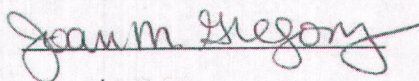
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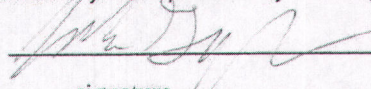
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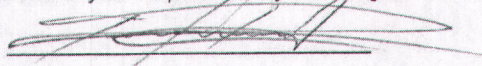
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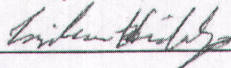
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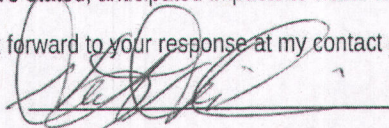
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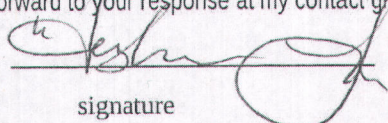
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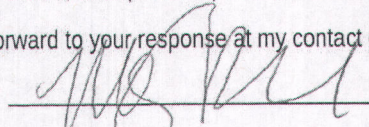
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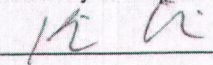
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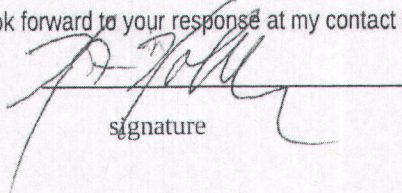
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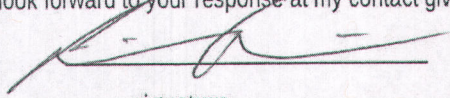
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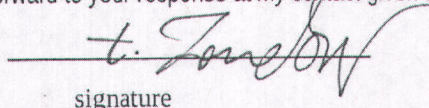
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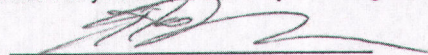
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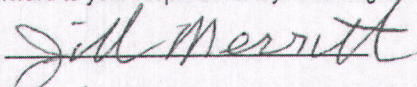
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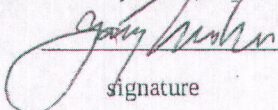
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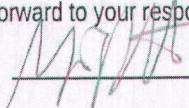
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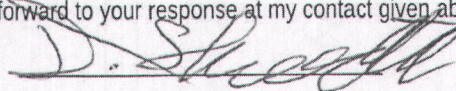
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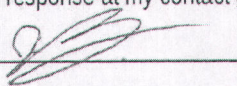
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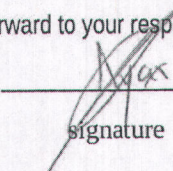
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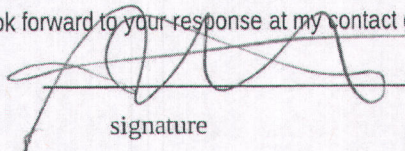
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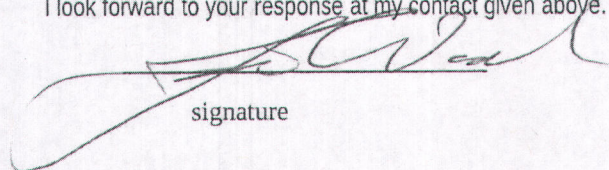
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